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LaVar Engle
Western International corporation
1399 South 700 East Suite 16
Salt Lake City, UT 84105

Re: Air Quality Intent to Approve
Processing Old Silver Maple
Gold Mine Tailings (Summit
County)

Dear Mr. Engle:

Plans and specifications for your proposal to process old Silver Maple Gold Mine tailings and apply appropriate fugitive dust control measures near Park City have been evaluated and have been found to be consistent with the requirements of the Utah Air Conservation Regulations and the Utah Air Conservation Act.

The Executive Secretary published the notice of intent to issue an approval order in the Salt Lake Tribune and Deseret News on June 18, 1981.

A thirty-day period following the publishing date will be allowed during which your proposal and the Executive Secretary's evaluation of the impact on air quality will be available for review and comment. If within 15 days of publication of notice anyone so requests, a hearing will be held. All comments received will be evaluated and a final determination will be made by the Executive Secretary.

You may not proceed with any of the proposed operation or installation of the air pollution sources or control facilities until you have received an approval from the Executive Secretary.

The proposed conditions upon which the approval will be given are:

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1. Visible emissions from any source shall not exceed 20% opacity.
2. Water spraying shall be accomplished on the dozer area, stockpile, shaker screen, crusher, and conveyor drop points to minimize fugitive emissions as dry conditions warrant or as determined necessary by the Executive Secretary. A record/log shall be kept to include dates, amounts and areas of application. The record/log shall be made available to the Executive Secretary upon request.
3. The Executive Secretary shall be notified when operations begin as an initial compliance inspection is required.

As you are a minor source a PSD permit is not necessary to be obtained from EPA/Region VIII (Denver).

Sincerely,

Brent C. Bradford
Executive Secretary
Utah Air Conservation Committee

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cc: Summit County Health Dept.
EPA Region VIII (N. Huey)
Div. of Oil, Gas & Mining (L. Spencer)

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